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Sir:

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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 1, 2003.

Applicants elect **Group I** (Claims 1-32) drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 190, with traverse. The traversal is made on the grounds that it is believed that a search and examination of all claims would place no undue burden on the Examiner (see MPEP §803).

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